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ences requested. Mail preference.

CHAS. WOODMAN, Sec. Treas.

Oct. 22, 1886.

**NOTICE.**

The Annual Meeting of the Saskatche-  
wan Curling Club will be held at J. L.  
Johnson's store, on Monday next, at 6 o'clock  
P. M. Business—Election of officers and  
other matters of importance. A full at-  
tendance of members is requested.  
By order,

W. C. GUNN, Secretary.

Oct. 20th, 1886.

**FOUND.**

Found, in the Birch Hill on October 13th,  
**TWO NATIVE PONIES.**

One Grey Horse, one mare, one  
yearling with left hind leg shod up to fetlock  
star on fore foot, no teeth. All persons  
proving property and paying expenses can  
take them away.

ROBERT STEVENS, South Branch.

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Prince Albert, Oct. 22, 1886.

**QUEEN'S HOTEL.**

Leading Hotel in Saskatchewan.

T. O'HAM takes pleasure in informing the  
residents of Prince Albert and the travel-  
ling public that he has opened up his new  
hotel on Church street, where he will be  
pleased to welcome all his old patrons and  
as many new ones as may require his ser-  
vices. First-class table and attendance.  
Good accommodation for travellers. Well  
furnished rooms.

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**BLACKSMITHING**

The McCALL BROS. have opened out a  
general blacksmithing shop on the west  
side of Church street, near River street  
where they are prepared to do all kinds of  
blacksmithing in first-class style and at  
moderate rates.

**M'CALL BROS.,**

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The proprietor of the above concern is  
prepared to supply families or retailers with  
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### TELEGRAPHIC.

THE VERY LATEST NEWS BY WIRE

(By Special Telegram.)

WINNIPEG, Oct. 22.

Red Crow and companion chiefs have  
returned from the east.

Prof. Saunders, of London, has been  
appointed chief director of experimental  
farms to be established by the Dominion  
Government.

The war claims commission is sit-  
ting at Ottawa. Over two thousand  
claims have been disposed of.

The result of the Quebec elections is  
still in dispute, both parties claiming a  
majority. It is said that the Ross-Tal-  
lor government will not resign, but will  
meet the Legislature. It is also stated  
that a round-robin has been signed by a  
majority of members of the new Legis-  
lature and presented to the Lieut. Gov-  
ernor, asking him to call upon the op-  
position leader to form a government. Re-  
counts have been heard in several con-  
stituencies.

There is a good deal of talk about the  
possibility of the Dominion elections be-  
ing brought on immediately.

Elliott & Co's, wholesale dealers, ware-  
house, Toronto, was destroyed by fire yes-  
terday, loss reported to be one hundred  
thousand dollars.

The Russian Government is said to  
have officially informed the Porte that  
Russia does not intend to occupy Bul-  
garia.

General McPherson, commander of the  
British army of occupation in Burma, is  
dead.

The strike of Chicago packing-house  
employees ended by the men having  
agreed to return to work at ten hours a  
day.

The railroad switchmen at St. Paul  
and Minneapolis are still out.

Work on the Hudson's Bay Railroad  
is still being actively pushed forward and  
it is expected that forty miles will be  
ready for rails in two weeks time.

Chicago defeated St. Louis in a game  
of baseball for the championship of the  
world yesterday, this winning two out  
of three, nine games in all to be played.

**BISHOP OF SASKATCHEWAN.**

His Lordship the Bishop of Saskatchewan  
has landed home on Tuesday evening  
last. Since leaving here he has visited  
Calgary, Ft. McLeod, and Edmonton,  
and he made the journey from the latter  
point to Prince Albert in a small boat,  
accompanied by his son, H. B. McLean.

Though His Lordship was very unwell  
when he arrived at Edmonton, and did  
not feel able to make the return trip by  
way of Calgary, he determined to do so,  
but as his conveyance was going down  
the hill to the ferry landing it upset,  
throwing him out and giving him a very  
severe shaking up. Not feeling seriously  
hurt at the time, he continued on his  
journey as soon as the wagon was re-  
paired, but after proceeding about five  
miles he became so ill that he was obliged  
to return to Edmonton to procure medi-  
cal treatment. He was laid up at that  
place for three weeks, during which  
time he was nursed by his son, and at  
the end of which he was so reduced in  
flesh and so weak that he was compelled  
to avoid the overland route, and embark  
for home by the river. He, therefore,  
procured a good-sized skiff, spread can-  
vass over one end of it, and placed him-  
self therein, to which he was confined dur-  
ing the journey. As night had been ex-  
pected at this time of the year and the  
low stage of the water, the trip was a  
very troublesome one. His Lordship is  
now under the care of Dr. Bain, and  
will not be able to officiate publicly for  
some time to come.

The H. B. Co. mill is in operation.

Meeting of Curling Club at J. L. John-  
son's store on Monday evening next.

For Flannels, Yarn, Canton Flannel,  
white and colored, go to W. R. Fish's.

The election of trustees for School  
District No. 10 resulted in the re-election  
of Messrs. McPhail and C. Thomson, with  
Mr. Garven as the third trustee.

### CHIT-CHAT LOCALS.

Gathered by our Reporters.

How about the bear story at the west  
end.

Choice Teas at W. R. Fish's at 50c per  
pound.

A detachment of police left this week  
for Batheche.

The windows are being put in the  
Courthouse.

The police are ginning up the whiskey  
men. This is not intended for a joke.

A meeting of the Directors of the  
Lorne Agricultural Society took place  
on Tuesday last.

Mr. Geo. C. McLeod left this week for  
Ontario on a short holiday.

For Fresh Dates, Apples, Cheese, Hams  
and Bacon, go to W. R. Fish.

Tenders are asked by the police for 250  
bushels of potatoes up to Saturday, Oct.  
23rd.

Walters & Baker have secured the out-  
contract for the police of this district—  
6,000 bushels.

Chas. Main has opened out a large  
stock of general goods in his old premises  
at the west end.

Men's Mitts, Underwear, Ties, and a  
complete stock of Gent's Furnishings  
always on hand at Fish.

St. Allice's Church will be opened on  
the 31st inst. Holy communion will be  
administered after the morning service.

Mr. Rankin, the operator who was ex-  
pected on Monday's stage, arrived, and  
has taken charge of the office here during  
Dr. Stackhouse's absence, which may be  
a couple of months.

The balance of the rebellion losses  
awarded by the first commission and  
part of which were paid last year, arrived  
on Monday last, and may be had on ap-  
plication at the Land Office.

Messrs. Wadsworth and Rae returned  
on Wednesday last from Batheche. Mr.  
Rae will act as Indian Agent here until a  
successor to Chas. Adams is appointed.  
Mr. Wadsworth will inspect the Indian  
office before going south.

Mail arrived on Monday, as usual,  
bringing in Acting Mayor Betts, who  
had been at Regina giving evidence in  
the mail robbery case, and afterwards  
had been to Winnipeg on business. Mr.  
Scott, of Leson & Scott, mail contrac-  
tors, also arrived.

We regret exceedingly to learn of the  
death of Mrs. White Fraser, wife of In-  
spector White Fraser, which occurred at  
Batheche recently. Mrs. Fraser was a  
lady of considerable talent, greatly re-  
spected, and always ready to assist in  
any good work. Mr. Fraser has our  
sincere sympathy.

During last winter a number of cattle  
belonging to farmers in this vicinity dis-  
appeared somewhat mysteriously. On  
search being made a number of hides  
were found in the creek a few miles south  
of here, and the natural conclusion was  
that the meat had been sold to the people  
of Prince Albert. Up to the present no  
one had been obtained leading to the  
conviction of the guilty parties, but we  
understand the police have now got on  
the right scent and developments are  
about to be made.

As Mr. Charbonneau, D.L.S., was re-  
turning to Prince Albert from the scene  
of his labours on the river to the east of  
here, he discovered a canoe lying on a  
sand bar in the river, containing the  
usual voyager's outfit—clothing, sup-  
plies, and cooking utensils. Not seeing  
any one around, he sent two of his men  
to search for the missing man, but they  
failed to discover any traces of him. On  
arriving at the Barache Mr. Charbon-  
neau informed the police, and a party  
was immediately sent out to search. It  
turns out that the canoe belonged to  
Simon Mackenzie, who left here last  
week to proceed to the scene of the wreck  
of the Marquis. From the fact of the  
canoe not being upset and lying on a  
sand bar it looks as if the missing man  
had gone ashore and his canoe had floated  
down stream. Mr. Charbonneau's men  
are also searching for him.

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**SUNDAY CHURCH SERVICES**

**St. Alban's**  
and  
**St. Mary's Churches.**  
11 a.m. Services in both Churches and  
7 p.m. Sunday School 3 p.m. Catech-  
ism in charge, Rev. A. H. Wright, assisted  
by Mr. C. Cunningham. Theological stu-  
dent of Emmanuel College.  
His Lordship the Bishop will preach, at  
a rule, when at home, at St. Mary's in the  
morning and at the Chapel in the evening.  
**St. Catharines.**  
11:52 a.m.—Rev. Canon Platt, B.D.  
**St. Paul's.**  
1 p.m.—Rev. Canon Platt, B.D.  
**St. Andrew's.**  
10:30 a.m.—Mr. Massie.  
**St. John's.**  
2 p.m.—Mr. Massie.  
**St. James's.**  
10 p.m.—Ven. Archdeacon McKay, B.D.  
**St. Anne's, R. Catholics.**  
10:30 a.m. and 7 p.m.—Rev. Pere Dommen  
**St. Paul's (Presbyterian).**  
11 a.m. and 7 p.m.—Rev. Mr. McWilliam.  
**Methodist Church.**  
Red Deer Hill and Island Lake every al-  
ternate Sunday morning at 10:30 a.m.; East  
End, 3 p.m.; Mission, 7 p.m. Prayer meet-  
ing Wednesday and Friday evenings at  
7:30. Mission and East End. Rev. C. S.  
Willis, pastor in charge.

FRIDAY, OCT. 22, 1886.

**THE H. B. RAILWAY.**

To the people of Manitoba and others  
who have always had faith in the ability  
of ordinary ocean-going vessels to nav-  
igate the Hudson's Straits and Bay, the  
actual commencement of the construc-  
tion of the Hudson's Bay Railway can-  
not fail to be encouraging in the ex-  
treme. It is the realization of their  
dreams. It is an augury of better days  
for Manitoba, and Winnipeg as  
its centre, it is no less an augury of  
better times for the North-West, and the  
great Saskatchewan country, the fairest  
portion of the Canadian North-west, in  
particular.

Not many years ago the people of the  
east and south imagined the Great Low  
Land to be next to worthless as a home  
for civilized people. Time, and a very  
short time, has proved that a civilized  
man can not only live, but prosper, in  
this country, and the explosion of the  
idea that Hudson's Straits and Bay could  
not be navigated successfully has  
brought the North-West not only within  
the pale of civilization, but will, with  
the completion of the H. B. Railway,  
show to the world that we, instead of  
being far removed from civilization as  
represented in the east, are closer to the  
markets of the old world than many  
eastern and southern countries.

From forty to sixty miles are expected  
to be completed this fall, and next fall  
the most of the iron horse will be heard  
at the Grand Rapids, if not far beyond.  
Just where it will cross the Saskatche-  
wan is a question of interest to the people  
of this country, as we would like to  
avoid more than one transshipment, which  
could be done by making the crossing at  
the western end of the rapids, or by con-  
verting the transway into a branch of  
the railway and erecting the necessary  
warehouses to facilitate the transhipment  
of freight and passengers at the western  
end of the rapids. This arrangement  
would, of course, only be necessary for  
a few years as far as connection between  
the river and the Hudson Bay Railway is  
concerned, as a railway is sure  
to be built from Calgary or some  
other point on the C. P. R., in a north-  
easterly direction, making connection  
with the Hudson's Bay Railway by the  
most direct route possible. Such a  
line could not fail to monopolize not  
only the cattle trade of the west, but  
also the Asiatic and Australian trade.

In the meantime, however, it will be the  
duty of the Canadian Government to  
improve the navigation of the Saskatche-  
wan by a liberal expenditure of public  
money. A few thousand will be of no  
avail. The channel at the Cut-off must be  
narrowed and deepened and the num-  
erous rapids made less dangerous to  
navigate. There is another difficulty in  
the way of the successful navigation of  
the Saskatchewan, and one which is be-  
coming more and more evident, that is  
the decrease in the volume of water.  
This could be improved by a judicious  
expenditure of money in draining the  
wet lands to the west of Edmonton into  
the Saskatchewan. Few people are  
aware of the extent of wet territory be-  
tween the mountains and the fifth initial  
meridian. But while it is wet it is rich  
in timber, and the increased value which  
would result from drainage to the timber  
would more than pay for the improve-  
ment of the Saskatchewan which would  
follow. We throw out these hints to the  
Government in no unfriendly spirit, but  
with a desire to aid it in the great work  
of the development of the  
great North-West, the future home of  
many millions, and the strong right arm  
of the Dominion.

**THE NORTH-WEST COUNCIL.**

The speech delivered by His Honor  
Lieut. Governor Dowdine at the opening  
of the North-West Council seems to in-  
dicate that we are approaching very near to  
the goal of our ambition—that the Coun-  
cil will soon be a thing of the past, and  
that responsible government, as exer-  
cised by the other Provinces, is about to  
be granted to the North-West. The  
North-West Act provides that when  
the Council contains twenty-one elected  
members it shall have all the powers of a  
Legislative Assembly, and as that num-  
ber can be legally elected now by a re-  
distribution of seats, the Lieut. Govern-  
or has called the attention of the Coun-  
cil to the necessity of a redistribution.  
This district, according to its popula-  
tion, will, under a redistribution, be en-  
titled to at least two members, and Bat-  
tledford to one. Medicine Hat and Leth-  
bridge will also get a member each, while  
the town of Regina will doubtless be given  
a member, and the country around ac-  
corded extra representation. The Ed-  
monton district will doubtless be granted  
another member, probably for the Red  
Deer and Battle River settlements. At  
all events there can be no trouble in  
setting apart twenty-one electoral dis-  
tricts in the North-West, and we are  
satisfied that such will be the result of  
a redistribution.

This session of the North-West Coun-  
cil, then, we may say, is its last as  
a Council. We do not say this because  
we believe that responsible govern-  
ment has been wrongly withheld from us.  
In fact only a few years ago settlers began  
to come into this vast country, and we  
cannot but admit that the growth of our  
legislative privileges have been quite in  
keeping with the growth of our popula-  
tion. Besides this we have been granted  
representation in the House of Commons  
for the next general election. But  
while our progress has been marvelous,  
there are some people who are not sat-  
isfied, and never will be. We wonder  
what they would do if the North-West  
were an appendage of Uncle Sam and  
were treated as Dakota has been treated.  
But, happily, we live under a brighter  
star.

**THE QUEBEC ELECTIONS.**

If the like humored Chief of the Metis  
and the martyred "brother" of Messrs.  
Laurier, Mercier, Blake and Edgar is in  
a position to look upwards, downwards,  
horizontally or diagonally on the work  
which has been accomplished by means of  
the Regina scaffold, he must be proud, at  
least, of the spiritual power he wields  
among his fellow countrymen, and others,  
who—while not of the faith he maligned  
while he had power, but obeyed when he  
saw the glorious looming up in the near  
future—have bowed their heads and his  
image. It has been said of the Irish of  
the Old Land, and even of the New, that  
they are too apt to be influenced by re-  
ligious and national prejudices; but the  
most ignorant Irishman falls very far  
short in ignorance and gullibility of the  
average French Canadian. His educated  
fellow countrymen can make him believe  
anything provided he appeals to religious  
or national prejudices, a fact which is  
made abundantly evident by the results  
of the Quebec elections. They were run  
on the Riel issue. It is true Mr. Mercier,  
unlike Mr. Blake, had one very good  
plank in his platform. But he was not  
content with that. He must cater to the

national and religious prejudices of the  
people—make them believe that a man  
whom the people of this district knew to  
be anything but what he is represents  
was a traitor and a martyr. He con-  
sulted so far as to convince him on the  
gallows to Our Saviour on the cross. A  
people who can be persuaded by such a  
means are scarcely to be relied upon  
when grave issues are at stake, and men  
who will stoop to such means as Mr.  
Mercier and Mr. Laurier did—of course,  
with Mr. Blake's approval—are dangerous  
men to have power. No government,  
however good, is safe when such influ-  
ences are possible; no nation can be  
founded on such material, because the  
elements of union are not there. The  
Ross Tallow government was responsible  
in no way for Riel's fate. It could not  
hang him, it could not save him;  
but innocent though it was, directly or  
indirectly of Riel's fate, the worshippers  
of the latter wreaked their vengeance on  
it. But there is one very pleasant fact  
in connection with this election—that is,  
that the Rielites have shown their  
strength, and they are not able to carry  
more than half the constituencies in  
Quebec at the present time, and the  
probabilities are that they will not be  
able to carry the same number in the Do-  
minion election. This means that Sir  
John Macdonald will rule for the  
next five years despite the combined  
armies of the Rielites, Secessionists and  
Liberals.

As matters stand now in Quebec neither  
party can rule, while before they have a  
Government against which not even Mr.  
Mercier could say a word.

**EDITORIAL NOTES.**

The Dominion elections are expected  
to take place immediately.  
The *Emigrant* for October is to hand.  
It is, as usual, a very interesting number.  
Sir Richard Carverwright says the On-  
tario volunteers were thieves, murderers,  
and worse. He must have had some  
distasteful relatives somewhere.

The *North-West Farmer* for October  
arrived by last mail. We are glad to  
notice the continued improvement of the  
pioneer agricultural journal of the  
North-West.

We received a copy of the Regina  
*Leader* this week, the principal half, as  
usual, printed on a roller, and, of course,  
unreadable. We are sorry for this as we  
expected to see something in it about  
the beautiful Wascana.

MR. BLAKE complains that the troops  
were short of cannon during the rebel-  
lion. But suppose they had big guns  
enough and Mr. Laurier had been in the  
opposing ranks, would Mr. Blake have  
had them pointed at Mr. Laurier.

The *American Sheep Breeder* says the  
North-West Territories of the Dominion  
of Canada are evidently destined to cut  
some figure in future sheep husbandry.  
Twenty thousand pounds of fine grade  
Merino wool have been furnished by  
this year's clip in Alberta alone. This is  
not a very big number, but it marks out  
a beginning.

The Regina Journal came to hand this  
week. It is an eight-page 40 column  
paper, with a patent inside, and has evi-  
dently obtained a patent for garbling  
our locals and insulting decent people,  
through the medium of a species of crank  
located in or about the town of Prince  
Albert. We cannot wish success to a  
journal conducted on such lines.

**ABOUT AN EVEN THING.**

A Detroitier, who was working across  
one of the northern countries with a horse  
and buggy this summer met a farmer on  
foot, and asked him how far it was to  
Greenville.

"Which one?" was the query after  
half a minute spent in reflection.

"Way, I didn't know that there was  
but one Greenville."

"Didn't you? There's one in South  
Carolina, a second in Kansas, and a third  
in Ohio, and a fourth in Iowa. Which  
one do you want to go to?"

"The nearest one."

"Well, that's about seven miles off.  
Next time you inquire for Greenville  
you'd better name the State. Got any  
tobacco?"

"Which tobacco do you want?"

"Why, I didn't know as there was  
more'n one tobacco."

"Oh, yes there is. There's plug to-  
bacco, fine-cut, shorts, and smoking.  
Which did you want?"

"I haven't got any. Next time you  
inquire for tobacco you had better men-  
tion the kind."

The two looked each other over for a  
minute and then separated for life—  
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the sum of Six Thousand Two Hundred Dollars  
at percent interest per annum. The said  
debentures to be redeemable in fifteen  
equal annual installments from date of issue  
together with such interest as may become  
due. Five Thousand Dollars for the purpose of  
erecting a School House and outbuildings,  
four hundred dollars for the purpose of fur-  
niture, etc., and eight hundred dollars for  
the purpose of school site. A vote on the  
above will be taken at the  
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ON  
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The vote will be open from 10 a.m. until  
1 p.m.  
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the school taxes assessed against me in the  
revised assessment roll of the municipality  
of the district; that I am of the full age of  
twenty-one years; that I am not an alien  
or unfriended Indian; that I have not  
voted before at this election; and that I  
have not received any reward, either di-  
rectly or indirectly, for so doing at this  
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# TERRITORIAL NEWS.

The Edmonton Bulletin, Sept. 25th, says:—W. Lloyd, W. G. Henson, W. Inglis and B. Wilson arrived from Pitt on Wednesday. The H. B. post has been re-established there and new buildings are being erected. Rev. Mr. Quimby, church of England missionary, is leaving for the old country and has sold his house to the Government telegraph service. A large quantity of mail for the new telegraph line to Battleford are lying there but no poles have yet been delivered. Indian department buildings have been erected at Onion Lake and a Roman Catholic mission established. Frog Lake has been abandoned.

Holbrook, the post-office on the Bow river trail at the leaving of the Battle river trail, was opened on August 1st, Jas. Aylwyn post-master.

J. Walter, south side, had a yield of 900 bushels of grain from 20 acres.

The fruit trees introduced here last fall and spring by G. A. Blake have uniformly done well, having grown from two to three feet this summer.

A. W. R. Mackley, agent for the Confederation Life Association, arrived on Monday's stage.

Edward Cunningham, brother of S. Cunningham, M.N. W. C. of St. Albert, was recently admitted into the order of Oblats at Lachine, Quebec. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Pere Le Gendre, Rev. Pere Cunningham was elected by the priesthood of the Ottawa College.

Messrs. Fison and Moody returned from their trip to Lake Athabasca on Saturday last. They brought a number of mineral specimens, some of which have been pronounced rich in silver and others in galena. They also brought specimens of mica.

The Battleford Herald, Sept. 20th, says:—The fever continues its ravages, several new cases having in the course of the week broken out both in town and in the barracks. Inspector Wilson is a victim. The most serious case is that of Const. Mason, whose mind has become affected since his illness. The earlier sufferers are steadily improving.

Cons. J. A. Simon and Capt. Richardson, of "C" troop, have already been attacked by the fever.

The Montreal Gazette of Oct. 5, says:—Cous. Odette, the policeman who died last week, was buried on Sunday morning, the funeral being a military one, and the band taking part.

A man named Len Patton was arrested last week at Calgary, charged with stealing a horse from Melville. He was brought to Melville, and taken before Neale, J.P., who committed him to appear before Col. McLeod at the next court.

The Medicine Hat Times of Oct. 9th says:—

About twenty men are at work enlarging the stock yards at this point for the shipment of Montana stock.

The Methodists are erecting a paragon on the lots occupied by the church.

The sheepshipped from here last week by Messrs. Hobbs and Hoffman were sold in Winnipeg for use in the local meat market.

Major Gen. Strange and daughter were in town on Saturday, looking well and hearty after all the serious trouble he has had.

The Calgary Tribune, Oct. 5th, says:—

On Monday morning a fire broke out in the old buildings of the Blackfoot Agency, which completely demolished all the old buildings. Mr. Wilson, the issuer of the rations, had been at work in the buildings and left them for a few minutes to speak to one of the other employees near by. On looking back he noticed smoke issuing from them. He immediately got to some coal oil on the premises, as a huge flame immediately burst out. He rushed into the building to try and save the books and was badly burned in consequence. He had a very narrow escape, just getting outside when he fell to the ground. He was carried off badly burned about the body and hands. On Monday night he was brought to Calgary and Dr. Henderson dressed his burns. An Indian was seen coming out of the building about the same time and it is thought he dropped a match which caused the trouble.

From the Boston Herald Press we learn that the Blood Indians are all over the Maries country. They have made two raids upon the settlers at Pen d'Ouille Springs, taking eleven head from Thomas

Bevans, Magee and Mormon Circle. The last raid was five nights ago. A short time since they attempted to steal the horses of Dare & Kennedy in broad daylight, but being discovered only got away with one animal. About the time of the last storm a couple of weeks ago, a detachment of cavalry was camped on the Maries, but it did not deter the Indians from doing as they wished. Mr. Price says this sort of thing is getting monotonous. A large number of cattle have been killed in that vicinity, in fact there is nothing the Indians do not do except take the life of settlers.

George Hudson, of Pine Creek, recently shot a pelican on Red Deer lake which was 9 ft. 1 in. across when the wings were extended, and 3 feet 1 inch from the tip of its tail to the end of the beak, and weighed 14 pounds.

The work on the mountains in the mountains is fast nearing completion. The season has been a particularly favorable one in the mountains and has facilitated the work greatly. Experts pronounce the work done as first-class.

The Calgary Agricultural Show takes place on the 19th and 20th.

Another prize of \$25 has been donated for the finest baby under one year. [A boom in marriage licenses ought to be in order now.]

John Clarke, of Crowfoot, had seven mares and five colts stolen from his corral on the night of Sept. 20th. He offers a reward of \$100 for their recovery.

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COMMENCEMENT OF WORK ON THE H. B. RAILWAY—AN ATTEMPTED OCCASION.

(From the Manitowish.)

Actual work on the Hudson's Bay Railway has at last commenced, and to-day (Oct. 9th) marks the inauguration of a work which promises to become of the greatest conceivable advantage to Manitoba and Winnipeg.

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was turned on the section just north of Prairie Park, but without any particular demonstration. Hon. Mr. Norquay and several other prominent citizens were present. An

## INTERESTING PROCESSION

passed down Main-street this morning, about 8 o'clock. It consisted of railroad graders, wagons, road scrapers, etc., drawn by 22 teams of mules and eight of horses. The wagons were loaded with provisions, implements, tents and cooking utensils, and accompanying them were a large gang of men. The outfit belonged to Egan Brothers, of Crookston, Minn., and went to the starting point of the Hudson's Bay Railway, preparatory to commencing part of the work on Monday morning. The appearance of such a large force dispelled the doubt existing in men's minds of the successful floating of the H. B. scheme, and many smiling countenances were noticed and expressions of congratulation heard among the large number of citizens who witnessed the march past. As the procession reached the store of Mr. J. G. Harango that gentleman presented the driver of the front team with a small British flag, and it was at once attached to the grader.

Mr. Hugh Sutherland went west this morning to interview the municipalities along the line of the road regarding the right of way.

Among the arrivals on the east train this morning was C. E. Henderson, who has been engaged as one of the locating engineers and superintendent of construction on the Hudson's Bay Railway.

It is understood that petitions will be circulated shortly for signature, asking the council to place a by-law granting a bonus to the road before the people to be voted upon. No exact sum is stated, but with the growing feeling in favor of affording every assistance and encouragement to the road, a handsome amount will doubtless be offered.

Lawyer (to a timid young woman)—"Have you ever appeared as witness in a suit before?"

Young Woman (blushing)—"Yes, sir, of course."

Lawyer—"Please state to the jury just what suit it was."

Young woman (with more confidence)—"It was a man's wedding, shirred down the front and trimmed with a lovely blue, with hat to match."

Judge (snapping violently)—"Order in the court!"—Kansas City Journal.



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